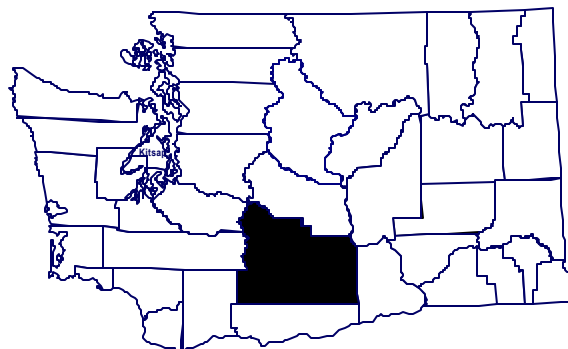


Yakima County

WIC Facts 2002 (Rev. 5/03)



WIC Serves

% infants born in Yakima County served by WIC 2002

County: 78.5%
Statewide: 48.2%

WIC food dollars in Yakima County 2002

\$9,829,804

Total individuals served 24,905
Infants and young children 17,994
Pregnant, breastfeeding,
and postpartum women 6,911

Diverse families

Caucasian -----	17.7%
Hispanic -----	75.6%
African American/Black -----	0.9%
Asian/Pacific Islander -----	0.5%
Native American/American Indian ---	5.3%

Working families

76.3% of WIC households have at least one
working family member

Families living in poverty

74.1% live at or below the federal poverty level
(≤\$1,521 per month for a family of 3)

Local WIC Agencies

- Yakama Nation
- Yakima Neighborhood Health Services
- Yakima Valley Farm Workers Clinic